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Applicant(s): Sheljaskow

Application No.:

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Title: Transducers With Electrically

Conductive Matching Layers and

Methods of Manufacture

Examiner: Budd, Mark Osborne

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time in the above-identified patent application in order to respond to the Advisory Action of a Non-Provisional Application mailed 01/17/2006. This extension is for one (1) month and will extend the due date from February 7, 2006 to March 7, 2006. A response is enclosed herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2179 for the extension fee of \$120.00. The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-2179. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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